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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Re: Applicant(s): Chirag D. Dalal; Ronald S. Karr
Assignee: VERITAS Operating Corporation
Title: USING A SINGLE ALLOCATOR TO COORDINATE VOLUME
TRANSFORMATIONS ACROSS VIRTUALIZATION LAYERS
Application No.: 10/790,656
Filing Date: March 1, 2004
Group Art Unit: 2185
Examiner: Zhuo H. Li
Attorney Docket No.: VRT0126US

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page, in duplicate)
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (15 pages)

- No additional fee is required.
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	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. <u>Previously Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	Rate		Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	21	Minus	21	=	0	x \$50.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	6	Minus	6	=	0	x \$200.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application					\$		
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated November 2, 2006, having a shortened statutory period expiring on February 2, 2007 ("Instant Office Action"). Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the remarks set forth below.

No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper..

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.